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AMERICAN DISPATCHES.

GENERAL MILES RECOMMENDS DEFENSES ON THE PACIFIC.

Two or Three Years Would do it—The Coast at Present Undefended—A Lunatic Shoots His Physician—Italy Will Not Exhibit at the World's Fair.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—Dr. Cook reported Justice Miller's condition this morning as extremely critical. His family entertain no hope whatever, and look for his death any time.

Another Explosion.

WILKESBARRE, Oct. 11.—The Corning mill, connected with the Dupont powder works at Wapwallapen, seven miles below Shickshinny, exploded about seven o'clock this morning from some unknown cause. So far as is known no one was injured, although the concussion was felt in this city, fully 25 miles distant. The loss will be several thousand dollars.

A Murderous Lunatic.

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—James Dougherty, the murderous lunatic who shot and instantly killed Dr. Geo. W. Lloyd last evening at Flatbush insane asylum, was arraigned before Justice Kilbroth at the Tombs this morning and remanded to the care of King's county authorities. He was brought into court handcuffed to stalwart brigade policeman Shattuck, accompanied by several policeman from Oak street station, and followed by a crowd of curious idlers. In appearance there is nothing like the typical murderer about him. His face has a quiet, studious, abstracted look and manner.

There's Money In It.

CHICAGO, Oct. 11.—A cable dispatch, stating that Italy wouldn't make a showing at the World's Fair in 1893, was shown to President Palmer, of the national commission, to-day, and that gentleman was asked what he thought about it. "Nonsense," he said. "Europeans will come over here on rafts, if they can't find any better way. They will send their exhibits where they can make money." But, suppose the tariff is too high for them to introduce goods at a profit." "The tariff on works of art is not too high. If I remember right it is only about 15 per cent. ad valorem. Notwithstanding this duty America is the great field for the sale of European pictures, and foreigners will come along with them without fear. There's money in it."

Was Never Asked.

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—A Herald's Washington despatch says: Concerning the rumor from London that Secretary Tracy has refused to consider bids for ships from the Roach Ship Building Co., because it is controlled by an English syndicate, I learn that this company has not made any effort to secure ship contracts from the navy since the assignment several years ago. No applications have been made by the company for plans of vessels to be constructed since that date. Consequently it is unreasonable to suppose that Secretary Tracy volunteered the statement that no bids would be received when there was no apparent desire on the part of the company to enter into contracts with the department.

Should Be Hanged.

BUTTE, Mont., Oct. 11.—At Deer Lodge, this morning, the jury in the case, the State vs. Steve. Mattlor, for murder of Aug. Turner, at Garrison, August 7th, returned a verdict of murder in the second degree, and fixed the punishment at imprisonment for life. The murder was unprovoked, and was over fifty cents. Turner was hotel clerk. Mattlor and two companions partook of breakfast at the hotel, and offered $1 in payment for three meals, and upon Turner demanding fifty cents additional, Mattlor pulled his gun and shot Turner.

Sad Time In Japan.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 11.—Three hundred and thirty-five towns and villages are said to have sustained a damage in the province of Fukuyaka, Ken., Japan, from recent rains, and sixty-three lives were lost. There is no abatement of cholera in Japan. Up to the 9th ult. there have been 23,000 cases and 14,000 deaths.

Surprising Generosity.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—Vice-President Webb, of the Central railroad, has issued the following notice: "All engineers of two or more years' experience in running moguls, or ten-wheel engines, will be paid hereafter four cents a mile. All firemen firing moguls will be paid hereafter two cents a mile." The increase in mileage rates, it is claimed, means an advance in their wages from twenty to thirty per cent. and places freight men on a level with passenger men.

Sought Their Fate.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 10.—The sealing schooner C. H. White arrived from Sand Point, Alaska, this morning with a catch of 484 seal skins and 73 otter skins. The White brought down in addition to her regular crew, Captain Howitzer and A. Sutherland, who were lost from the schooner Sophia Sutherland and subsequently recovered. The crew of the C. H. White state that the hunters on the G. G. White deserved all they got, as they landed on Copper Island with the intention of poaching and that when the Russians ordered them away, the hunters fired on them and the Russians returned it, with the fatal results already recorded.

The First Shock Killed.

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 10.—Dr. McDonald this afternoon submitted his official report of the Kemmler execution to Governor Hill. He says it was eminently successful, and explains away all stories of suffering and cruelty. He says the first shock killed.

Old Adam is Dead.

SALEM, Oct. 9.—News has been received of the death of Old Adam, the last chief of the Tillamook tribe of Indians, at his cabin on Tillamook bay. By those who knew him, Adam's age is estimated at from 100 to 140 years. Adam saw the first ship that entered the Columbia river, and it was interesting to hear him narrate the sensation he felt at the sight of it.

LOSS OF THE ERTOUGROUL.

Particulars of the Destruction of the Ship—Maimed and Killed.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 10.—By the steamer Belgic, which arrived from Hong Kong and Yokohama this morning, particulars of the loss of the Turkish frigate Ertougroul, Captain Ali Bey, off the coast of Japan, on the 16th ult., has been received. An accident happened to her boilers, and the ship becoming unmanagable, drifted on rocks fifty miles from Yokohama, where the boilers burst. In five minutes the vessel foundered. There were six hundred and thirty officers and men aboard, and the sea was full of men fighting for life, and floating debris, Many, it is said, went mad, threw up their hands and sank. Osmah Pasha, the admiral, while swimming towards the shore, was struck by a spar and drowned. Only six officers and 55 men reached land, and many of them were maimed and bruised by being dashed against the rocks.

GENERAL MILES' REPORT.

Better Defences Demanded for the Pacific Coast Cities.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—The report of General Nelson A. Miles has been received at the war department. The document has not been made public as yet, but it is understood that its contents are in effect a reiteration of that officer's testimony before the select committee of the senate on our relations with Canada, as given in May, 1890. In that testimony General Miles laid particular stress on the defenceless condition of the Pacific coast north of San Francisco. In effect he said that China, to say nothing of Great Britain, had ships that could come into the harbor and destroy the city of San Francisco. He further said it was perfectly practicable for the government to put the Pacific coast in such a state of defence that in his judgment it would be impossible for any ship to enter its important harbors. Necessary defences of the coast would be the occupation of the entrance to Puget Sound and Columbia River. The defences of the harbor of San Francisco and cities southward would take three or four years to accomplish.

THE LONGEST FLY ON RECORD.

New York Carrier Pigeon Reaches Home After Fourteen Months.

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—The Homing pigeon Dude, owned by J. Harvey Doane, of Plainfield, N.J., has reached home after more than a year's absence under circumstances which make his case one of the most remarkable in carrier pigeon annals. The members of Scripp's League expedition, which sailed for Paris July 24, 1889, took with them six pigeons. Of these four were released the first day out at sea for an ordinary ocean fly. Two others, Dude and Ariel, were set free the second day 700 miles from home in an attempt to break the ocean record of the world. Ariel flew almost to New York, and dropped exhausted on the deck of an incoming vessel.

Of Dude no tidings ever came, and he was given up for lost until a few days ago, when his owner found the bird almost worn out with his fourteen months' journey, in his loft on his old-time perch. A partly decipherable message from Scripp's League still clung to his leg, its oilskin wrapper rotted from long exposure. It is supposed that the returned wanderer has been flying about constantly in various parts of the world in his endeavors to reach home, and he is credited with the longest fly on record.

ADAMS' BODY.

Southern Presbyterians Object to Dr. Woodrow's Company.

CHARLESTON, S.C., Oct. 11.—Adam's body, which has agitated southern Presbyterians for the last six years, and which it was thought had been definitely and permanently disposed of by the deposition of Prof. Woodrow, professor in the Ological seminary in Columbia, and advocate of evolution, was resurrected at Allendale, at the session of the Charleston Presbytery which convened to-day. The session was quiet and harmonious till a letter of application for membership from the Rev. Dr. Jas. Woodrow was received, then the controversy was re-opened. The usual examination to which applicant's are subjected, followed the presentation of Dr. Woodrow's letter. At its conclusion it was submitted by Rev. Dr. Webb, pastor of the Westminster Presbyterian church of this city: Resolved that Dr. Woodrow's examination be declared unsatisfactory, and that his application for membership in the Presbytery be declined. Then follows a long list of reasons, among them because Dr. Woodrows examination reveals the fact that his life has become so secularized that this body, were it to receive him into its membership, would feel constrained to remonstrate with him, and would involve this Presbytery in a controversy which it does not desire, because he has so seriously reflected on the honor, sincerity and veracity of this body in the columns of a paper which he edits, that this presbytery feels bound by considerations of dignity and self respect to deny him the fellowship he seeks, because he has not refuted his doctrinal errors on the subject of evolution, which have been condemned several times by courts of the church as contrary to the Presbyterian standards. The resolution was adopted without debate by a vote of 17 to 6. On announcement of the result, Rev. Dr. J. W. Flint, who is a supporter of Dr. Woodrow, gave notice that an appeal from the decision of the Presbytery would be taken to the Synod of the state. This body holds its next meeting at Yorkville October 12.

Large lines of new goods in furniture, carpets, glassware, etc., constantly arriving at John Weller, 51 to 55 Fort street

HOME AND FOREIGN.

AN OTTAWA CORRESPONDENT ON TRIAL FOR LIBEL.

The Report of Fever Among the Grenadier Guards Denied—Slavin and McAuliffe Committed for Trial—A Financial Panic Imminent in London.

OTTAWA, Oct. 11.—The case of the Caledonia Springs hotel against Fred. Jones for criminal libel came up in the police court to-day, and was adjourned until Monday.

The Guards all Right.

LONDON, Oct. 11.—A circular has been issued by the government in which the recently published report of prevalence, with fatal effects, of fever among men of the Grenadier Guards stationed at Bermuda, is denied. The circular states that but one death has occurred among the Guards since they left England.

Committed For Trial.

LONDON, Oct. 11.—Slavin and McAuliffe, the prize fighters, who, on Friday last were remanded for a week by the presiding magistrate at Lambeth, were this morning brought into court, and the magistrate formally committed them for trial on the charge of having committed a breach of the peace by engaging in a common prize fight.

Claims Kassala.

LONDON, Oct. 10.—Special.—In the Anglo-Italian negotiations now in progress, England refuses to concede Italy the right to Kassala, that belongs to to the Khedive and should be regarded as Egyptian territory. The Italians, on the other hand, claim that without Kassala, they would have no secure footing in that part of Africa.

The Sultan of Morocco has declined the French protectorate. He says that his people by a popular vote taken under his direction have declared their opposition to any closer relation with foreign powers.

THE IRISH TRIALS.

Balfour Will not be Bluffed—The Trials to Proceed.

TIPPERARY, Oct. 11.—When the court opened this morning Ronan, counsel for the Crown, stated after deliberation since yesterday's adjournment of court it had been decided that the Crown would continue the prosecution of the conspiracy cases, notwithstanding the absence of defendents Dillon and O'Brien. Ronan contended that the fact that the accused were absent by their own volition would be found ample justification for recognition by the court of the crown's right to proceed. He and counsel for defendants argued at some length that the course suggested by the crown to be unjustifiable and impossible. Mr. O'Mahony, one of the defendant in the conspiracy case, who has been unable by reason of illness to attend the sittings of court up to the present time, but whom it was expected would appear shortly, is again prostrated, and his physicians have been ordered by the court to make a report on his condition.

A MADMAN'S ACT.

A Professor of Medicine Poisons Himself Before His Audience.

PARIS, Oct. 11.—An extraordinary story is telegraphed from St. Petersburg. It is probable no romancer has ever imagined a more romantic incident. A young professor of medicine, Koucharsky by name, closed a lecture on poisonous acids given in the laboratory of the university, by pouring into a glass some drops of one of the poisons, saying as he drank them, "In two minutes you are going to see a man die before your eyes. Gentlemen, I bid you farewell." Students rushed up and tried to administer an antidote, but it was fruitless. At the expiration of the time he had fixed he was dead. There is great excitement in St. Petersburg over this tragic incident. It is generally believed the professor had gone suddenly mad, for no motive for the act, so far as is known, existed. He leaves a wife, of whom he was very fond, and two little children. He will be buried with great pomp at the expense of the state.

THE IRISH SITUATION.

Dillon and O'Brien Vamoose—Bail Paid Out of Famine Fund.

TIPPERARY, Oct. 10.—When the court opened this morning to continue the hearing on the summonses against the police for assaulting people gathered in the vicinity of the court room on the occasion of the beginning of the proceedings against Dillon and O'Brien, it was found that neither Dillon nor O'Brien were present. Rumors were current that both gentlemen had sailed from Queenstown for the United States. Both Irish leaders were on Monday last at the conference of the Irish National party held in Dublin to appoint members as a delegation to visit America and present the political position in Ireland as it exists to-day; they are also instructed to enlist the sympathy and aid of the American people in behalf of the famine threatened the Irish peasantry.

LONDON, Oct. 11.—The flight of Dillon and O'Brien is the great sensation of the hour. The Star indulges in some severe sarcasm aimed at Chief Secretary Balfour, whom it twits with not being able even to shadow the prisoners effectively. The $10,000 bail which the absentees have forfeited will be paid by the League.

It is now believed that the illness of Mr. O'Mahoney, one of the accused, was feigned in order to secure an adjournment of the case and give time for the ripening of a plot for the escape of Dillon and O'Brien. Secretary Balfour is deeply aggrieved over the affair, and has ordered an investigation in order to fix the blame for the escape upon some one of his "shadowers." It is taken for granted that there is a traitor in the camp, for it seems impossible for the fugitives to have gotten away without collusion on the part of some detective. The system of espionage was too thorough to admit of any other explanations. So closely were the spies instructed to follow the movements of this constables detailed to keep an eye upon O'Brien were known to have watched the window of the bedroom occupied by himself and wife, refusing to go away when requested to do so by Mr. O'Brien. To have escaped such vigilance may indeed be regarded as miraculous, except from the supposition that from one motive or another the the escape was connived at. The flight of the two principal objects of the government prosecution is regarded by the leading nationalists as a severe blow to Mr. Balfour's plans, which undoubtedly aimed at keeping them away from America at all hazards until after parliament convened. Mr. Harrington is quoted as saying that Dillon and O'Brien will be worth a great deal more in America to the Irish cause now as fugitives from British injustice than they would have been as simple commissioners on behalf of the people of Ireland.

The Star says that Messrs. Dillon and O'Brien went to Havre, via Waterford, on wednesday, and sailed from Havre to New York.

The government has caused all the outgoing steamers at the various ports of the kingdom to be searched by detectives, but no trace of Dillon or O'Brien has been found, and the authorities are convinced that the fugitives are already on the ocean. It is thought possible that they are aboard a yacht, waiting to join an outgoing steamer outside of Queenstown.

FINANCIAL PANIC IMMINENT.

Two Brokers Suspend—American Securities Go Down—Danger not Over.

LONDON, Oct. 10.—Fears that there would be some failures on the Stock Exchange to-day as a result of the excitement, have been confirmed. The suspension of two brokers is announced. One of them was a large operator. The other failure was that of a jobber on the exchange.

The Standard says: American railroad securities opened with another plunge. One large speculative firm that is deeply inyolved in these securities, was attacked in its credit and it is alleged its weakness was used to depress the market.

The Times says: The stock exchange was considerably affected by the flatness of the American market, which was very gloomy in the morning, and closed dull.

The Daily News says: The market had a severe shake. It is expected that realizations if not failures will ensue.

EUROPEAN ADVICES.

Severe and Cruel Consequences—The King of Holland—Aggressive Australia.

LONDON, Oct. 10.—Mr. Gladstone has sent to a Nottingham correspondent from Hawarden, a postal card giving his opinion of the new United States tariff law. He says: The tariff act is, as you will suppose, in my eyes deplorable, and attended with severe and cruel consequences to innocent persons. I shall certainly desire to find an opportunity of offering remarks upon it.

The king of Holland is still very low and is thought to be beyond recovery. A consultation of doctors will be held on Monday and the question of a regency will depend upon their report. The king's ailment centers in his kidneys, and as he is 74 years old, he can scarcely be expected to rally. Queen Emma is constantly at his side with their daughter Wilhelmina, heir to the throne, who is now about ten years old.

Lord Salisbury is said to be much annoyed by the news that the colonists of Australia are creating trouble for the French of the New Hebrides Islands. The movement in Australia for the annexation of these islands, and the German portion of New Guinea to the British colonies, has assumed a formidable aspect, and may bring about a serious international complication unless desisted from. The Australians demand a united Australia, and claim that the French and Germans are trespassers in that quarter of the world.

THE WAGE EARNERS.

Meeting of Trades and Labor Council—Solidification and Progression.

At the regular semi-monthly meeting of the Victoria Trades and Labor Council held last evening the shipwrights' delegation denounced the action of the Dominion Government in sending abroad for their new steamer when it might just as well have been built at home. Resolutions were passed strongly condemning, not only the action complained of, but also the principle involved. The city representatives will be asked to make a vigorous protest in the premises. The council considers that the revenue should be spent amongst those who contribute the same. The claim of economy in this matter was shown to be a fallacy, inasmuch as the cost of the steamer will practically be thrown away as far as Canada is concerned. Canadians contribute all the taxes, consequently the same should be spent amongst them, otherwise the country is simply impoverished.

The new constitution and by-laws were finally adopted and ordered printed immediately.

After next meeting, when some new officers and committees will be elected, aggressive work on the part of the council may be looked for.

Delegates from the Tailors' Union, which has lately been organized, were received, who reported their trade fairly well organized.

The secretary was instructed to invite the stonecutters and plasterers to affiliate.

Thus by degrees labor is becoming thoroughly organized in this city, and the Trades and Labor Council will doubtless represent one thousand wage earners before its first anniversary.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

AT THE TABERNACLE.

DR. TALMAGE'S SECOND DAY IN PALESTINE.

Every Step of His Journey Is Amid Scenes Sanctified by the Holiest Associations. Words Cannot Set Forth the Emotions Excited.

BROOKLYN, Oct. 5.—Dr. Talmage is continuing in the Brooklyn Academy of Music his series of sermons on his recent journey to the Holy Land and adjoining countries. The subject this morning was, "My second day in Palestine." After the reading of the Scriptures and two hearty songs of worship by the congregation the preacher announced as his text: Galatians i. 18, "I went up to Jerusalem."

My second day in the Holy Land. We are in Joppa. It is 6 o'clock in the morning, but we must start early, for by night we are to be in Jerusalem, and that city is forty-one miles away. We may take camel or horse or carriage. As today will be our last opportunity in Palestine for taking the wheel we choose that. The horses, with harness tasseled and jingling, are hitched, and, with a dragoman in coat of many colors seated in front, we start on a road which unveils in twelve hours enough to think of for all time and all eternity. Farewell, Mediterranean, with such a blue as no one but the divine Chemist could mix, and such a fire of morning glow as only the divine illuminator could kindle. Hail! mountains of Ephraim and Juda, whose ramparts of rock we shall mount in a few hours; for modern engineers can make a road anywhere, and, without piling Ossa upon Pelion, those giants can scale the heavens.

We start out of the city amid barricades of cactus on either side. Not cacti in boxes two or three feet high, but cactus higher than the top of the carriage—a plant that has more swords for defense, considering the amount of beauty it can exhibit, than anything created. We passed out amid about four hundred gardens, seven or eight acres to the garden, from which at the right seasons are plucked oranges, lemons, figs, olives, citron and pomegranates, and which hold up their censers of perfume before the Lord in perpetual praise. We meet great processions of camels loaded with kegs of oil and with fruits, and some wealthy Mohammedan with four wives—three too many.

The camel is a proud, mysterious, solemn, ancient, ungainly, majestic and ridiculous shape, stalking out of the past. The driver with his whip taps the camel on the fore leg, and he kneels to take you as a rider. But when he rises hold fast or you will fall off backward as he puts his fore feet in standing posture, and then you will fall off in front as his back legs take their place. But the inhabitants are used to his ways, although I find the riders often dismount and walk as though to rest themselves. Better stand out of the path of the camel—he stops for nothing and seems not to look down; and in the street I saw a child by the stroke of a camel's front foot hurled seven or eight feet along the ground.

THE TATTOOED NATIVES.

Here we meet people with faces and arms and hands tattooed, as in all lands sailors tattoo their arms with some favorite ship or admired face. It was to this habit of tattooing among the orientals that God refers in a figure when he says of his church, "I have graven thee on the palms of my hands."

Many of these regions are naturally sandy, but by irrigation they are made fruitful, and as in this irrigation the brooks and rivers are turned this way and that to water the gardens or farms, so the Bible says, "The king's heart is in the hands of the Lord, and he turneth it as the rivers of water are turned withersoever he will."

As we pass out and on we find about eight hundred acres belonging to the Universal Israelitish alliance. Montefiore, the Israelitish centenarian and philanthropist, and Rothschild, the banker, and others of the large hearted have paid the passage to Palestine for many of the Israelites, and set apart lands for their culture; and it is only a beginning of the fulfillment of divine prophecy, when these people shall take possession of the Holy Land. The road from Joppa to Jerusalem, and all the roads leading to Nazareth and Galilee, we saw lined with processions of Jews going to the sacred places, either on holy pilgrimage or as settlers. All the fingers of Providence nowadays are pointing toward that resumption of Palestine by the Israelites. I do not take it that the prospered Israelites of other lands are to go there. They would be foolish to leave their prosperities in our American cities, where they are among our best citizens, and cross two seas to begin life over again in a strange land.

But the outrages heaped upon them in Russia, and the insults offered them in Germany, will soon quadruple and centuple the procession of Israelites from Russia to Palestine. Facilities for getting there will be multiplied, not only in the railroad from Joppa to Jerusalem, to which I referred last Sabbath as being built, but permission for a road from Damascus to the Bay of Acre has been obtained, and that of course will soon connect with Joppa and make one great ocean shore railroad. So the railroad from Jerusalem to Joppa, and from Joppa to Damascus, will soon bring all the Holy Land within a few hours of connection. Jewish colonization societies in England and Russia are gathering money for the transportation of the Israelites to Palestine, and for the purchase for them of lands and farming implements, and so many desire to go that it is decided by lot as to which families shall go first.

They were God's chosen people at the first, and he has promised to bring them back to their home, and there is no power in one thousand or five thousand years to make God forget his promises. Those who are prospered in other lands will do well to stay where they are. But let the Israelites who are depreciated and attacked and persecuted turn their faces toward the rising sun of their deliverance. God will gather in that distant land those of that race who have been maltreated, and he will blast with the lightnings of his omnipotence those hands on either side of the Atlantic which have been the instruments of annoyance and harm to that Jewish race, to which belonged Abraham and David and Joshua and Baron Hirsch and Montefiore and Paul the Apostle and Mary the Virgin and Jesus Christ the Lord.

SLAVES WITHOUT THE GOSPEL.

On the way across the plain of Sharon we meet many veiled women. It is not respectable for them to go unveiled, and it is a veil that is so hung as to make them hideous. A man may not even see the face of his wife until after betrothal, or engagement of marriage. Hence the awful mistakes and the unhappy homes, for God has made the face an index of character, and honesty or dishonesty usually is demonstrated in the features. I do not see what God made a fair face for if it were not to be looked at. But here come the crowds of disfigured women down the road on their way to Joppa, bundles of sticks for firewood on their heads. They started at 3 o'clock in the morning to get the first. They stagger under the burden, and beaten will some of them be if their bundle of sticks is too small. All that is required for divorcement is for a man to say to his wife, "Be off, I don't want you any more." Woman a slave in all lands, except those in which the gospel of Christ makes her a queen. And yet in Christian countries there are women posing as skeptics and men with family darkling the only religion that makes sacred and honorable the names of wife, mother, daughter and sister.

What is that? Town of Ramleh, birthplace, residence and tomb of Samuel, the glorious prophet. Near by Tower of Forty Martyrs, so called because that number of disciples perished there for Christ's sake; but if towers had been built for all those who in the time of war as in time of peace have fallen on this road during the ages past you might almost walk on turrets from Joppa to Jerusalem.

Now we pass guard houses, which are castles of chopped straw and mud where at night and partly through the day armed men dwell and keep the bandits off travelers. In the caves of these mountains dwell men to whom massacre would be high play and a purse with a few pennies would be compensation enough for the struggle that the savage might have with the wayfarer. There is only one other defense that amounts to much in these lands and that is the law of hospitality. If you can get an Arab to eat with you, if only one mouthful, you are sure of his protection, and that has been so from age to age. The Lord's supper was built on that custom, a special friendship after partaking food together. To that custom Walter Scott refers in his immortal "Talisman," where Saladin, with one stroke of the sword, strikes the head from an enemy who stands in Saladin's tent with a cup in his hand and before he has time to put it to his lip, and does it so suddenly that the body of his enemy, beheaded, stands for a moment after the beheading, with the cup still in his right hand. After the cup had been sipped it would have been impossible, according to the laws of oriental hospitality, to give the fatal blow.

CHRISTIAN LANDS ARE SAFEST.

The only lands where it is safe to travel unarmed are Christian lands. Human life is more highly valued and personal rights are better respected, and I am glad to believe that in our country, from the Atlantic ocean to the Pacific ocean, there is not a place today where a man is not safer without a pistol than with one. But all through our journeys in Palestine we required firearms. While the only weapon I had on my person was a New Testament we went through the region where I said to the dragoman, "David, are you armed?" and he said "Yes," and I said, "Are those fifteen or twenty muleteers and baggage men and attendants armed?" and he said "Yes," and I felt safer.

On we roll through the plain of Sharon. Here grew the rose after which Christ was named, Rose of Sharon, celebrated in all Christendom and throughout all ages. There has been controversy as to what flower it was. Some say it was a marshmallow that thrives here, and some claim this honor for the narcissus, and some for the blue iris, and some for the scarlet anemone, for you must know that this plain of Sharon is a rolling ocean of color when the spring breezes move across it. But leaving the botanists in controversy as to what it is, I would take the most aromatic and beautiful of them all and twist them into a garland for the "name which is above every name."

Yonder, a little to the north as we move on, is the plain of Ono. The Bible mentions it again and again. The village standing on this plain of Ono is a mud village. Two great basins of rock catch the rains for the people. Of more importance in olden time than in modern time was this plain of Ono. But as the dragoman announced it and in the Bible I read of it I was reminded of the vast multitude of people who now dwell in the plain of Ono. They are, by their nervous constitution or by their lack of faith in God, always in the negative. Will you help to build a church? Oh, no! Will you start out in some new Christian enterprise? Oh, no! Do you think the world is getting any better? Oh, no! They lie down in the path of all good movements, sanitary, social, political and religious. They harness their horses with no traces to pull ahead, but only breeching straps to hold back. For all Christian work I would not give for a thousand of them the price of a clipped ten cent piece. They are in the plain of Oh, no! May the Lord multiply the numbers of those who when anything good is undertaken are found to live in the plain of Oh, yes! Will you support this new charity? Oh, yes! Do you think that this victim of evil habit can be reformed? Oh, yes! Are you willing to do anything, whether obscure or resounding, for the welfare of the church and the salvation of a ruined world? Oh, yes! But I am sorry to say that the most populous plain in all the earth today is the plain of Ono.

SAMSON'S DESTRUCTIVE WRATH.

Here now we come where stood the fields into which Samson fired the foxes. The foxes are no rarity in this land. I counted at one time twenty or thirty of them in one group, and the cry all along the line was "Foxes! Look at the foxes!" and at night they sometimes bark until all attempts to sleep are an absurdity. Those I saw and heard in Palestine might have been descendants of the very foxes that Samson employed for an appalling incendiarism. The wealth of that land was in the harvests, and it was harvest time and the straw was dry. Three hundred foxes are caught and tied in couples by some wire or incombustible cord which the flames cannot divide, and firebrands are fastened to those couples of foxes, and the affrighted creatures are let loose and run every whither among the harvests, and in the awful blaze down go the corn shocks, and the vineyards, and the olives, and all through the valleys and over the hills and among the villages is heard the cry of "Fire!" And in the burnt pathway walk hunger and want and desolation.

All this for spite. And some theologians learn one thing and some another. But I learn from it that a great man may sometimes stoop to a very mean piece of business, and that if men would use as much ingenuity in trying to bless as they do in trying to destroy, the world all the way down would be in better condition. Yet the fire of the foxes kindled that night in Palestine has not gone out, but has leaped the seas, and the sly foxes, the human foxes, are now still running every whither, kindling political fires, fires of religious controversy, fires of hate, world wide fires and the whole harvest of righteousness perish. It took the hard work of multitudes on these plains of Palestine for months and months to rear the vine and raise the corn, but it took only three hundred worthless foxes one night to blaze all into ashes.

A TRANSPORTING SCENE.

Brace up your nerves now, that you may look while I point them out. Yonder is Kirjath-Jearim, where the ark of God stood until David took it to Jerusalem. Yonder is the Bethlehem where David was born. Yonder is Emmaus, where Christ walked with the disciples at eventide. Here are men plowing, only one handle to the plow, showing the accuracy of Christ's allusion. When we plow in America or England there are two hands on two handles, but in Palestine only one handle. And so Christ uses the singular saying, "No man having put his hand to the plow and looking back is fit for the kingdom." The ox is urged on by a wooden stick pointed with iron, and the ox knows enough not to kick, for he would only hurt himself instead of breaking the goad. And the Bible refers to that when it says to Saul, "It is hard for thee to kick against the goads."

Here is the valley of Ajalon, famous for Joshua's pursuit of the five kings and the lunar arrest. And in imagination I see the moon in daytime halt. Who has not sometimes seen the moon dispute the throne with the sun? But when the king of day and the queen of night, who never before Joshua's time nor since then stopped a moment in their march, halted at Joshua's command it was a scene enough to make the universe shiver: "Moon, stand thou still in the valley of Ajalon!" At another time we will see the sun stop above Gibeon, but now we have only to do with the moon, and you must remember it was more of an orb than it is now. It is a burnt out world now, a dead world now, an extinct world now, a corpse laid out in state in the heavens, waiting for the judgment day to bury it. But on the day of which I speak the moon was probably a living world, yet it halted at the wave of Joshua's finger, "Stand thou still!" Do not budge an inch until Joshua finishes those five kings, who are there tumbling over the rocks, sword of man slashing them; hailstones out of the sky pelting them.

And there is the cavern of Makkedah, where they fled for safety, and where they were afterward locked in, and from which they were taken out to be slain, and in which they were afterward buried, and you do well to examine that cavern, for within a few hours it became three things which no other cave ever was—fortress, prison, sepulcher.

AN OLD TIME ROBBER.

Now we pass the place where once lived one of the greatest robbers of the century, Abou Gosh by name. From this point you see he could look over the surrounding country, and long before the travelers came up to him the plan for taking of their money or their life, or both, was consummated. He one day found a company of monks who would not pay, and he smothered them to death in a hot oven. In his last days he lived here like an oriental prince, and had his attendants and admirers to whom he told the stories of brigandage and assassination. So late as when our eminent and beloved American, William C. Prime, passed through, Abou Gosh, the scoundrelly Bedouin, sat at his doorway smoking his pipe. His descendants live in this village, and probably are no more honest than their distinguished ancestor, but marauding and murder are not as safe a business now as when all this route to Jerusalem was subjected to outrages pandemoniac.

Here we pass the village of Latrun, home of the penitent thief, the village, a few straggling houses on steep hills, rising from the valley of Ajalon. Up these steep hills in his earlier days the thief had carried the spoils of arson and burglary, and down them he had borne the heavier burden of a guilty heart. But higher than these hills he mounted after he had repented, from the transfixed posture on the cross to the bosom of a forgiving God.

Now we come to the brook Elah, from which little David took the smooth stones with which he prostrated Goliath. There is a bridge spanning the ravine, but at the season we crossed there is not a drop of water in the brook. We went down into the ravine and walked amid the pebbles that had been washed smooth, very smooth, by the rush of the waters through all the ages. There is where David armed himself. He walked around and picked up five of these polished pebbles. He got them of just the right size. He prepared himself for five volleys, so that if the giant escapes the first he will not escape the whole five. The topography of the place so corresponds with the Bible story that I could see the memorable fight go on. It is the only fight I ever did watch.

Pugilism I abhor; but here were two champions—the one God appointed, the other Satan appointed, and deciding the destiny of a nation, the destiny of a world. It was a Marathon, an Arbela, a Waterloo, a Blenheim, a Sedan, concentered into two right arms. Here are two ridges of mountains 500 feet high, the Philistines on one ridge, the Israelites on the other ridge. The fight is in the valley between, at that season shaded and sweet with terebinth and acacia, David the champion for the Israelites, Goliath the champion for the Philistines, David undersized and almost effeminate, only a mouthful for Goliath, who was nearly ten feet high.

DAVID AND GOLIATH.

They advance to meet each other, but the Bible says that David made the first step forward. Nearer and nearer they come, but I do not think David will wait until he comes within reach of Goliath's sword, for that would be fatal, and David has a weapon with which he can fight at long range. Closer and closer they come, but David advances the more rapidly. "Come to me," said the giant, "and I will give thy flesh unto the fowls of the air and to the beasts of the field." You see Goliath going to give David for a banquet to the vulture and jackal. He, the mountain of flesh, will fall over on that little hillock. I hear him laugh through the mouthpiece of his helmet. He will toast the little whiffet on the top of his long sword. He will call all the crows for a breakfast. "Come to me, you contemptible little fellow, and I will make quick work with you. The idea that a five-footer should dare to come out against a ten-footer! Let the two armies looking down from the ridges watch me!" David responded, "I come to thee in the name of the Lord of Hosts!" Aha! that is the right kind of battle shout. "In the name of the Lord of Hosts!"

How that cry rings through the Wadyes-Sumpt! He who fights in that spirit wins the day. The almost Israelitish dwarf enlarges into omnipotent proportions. The moment to strike has come. David takes his sling, with a stone in it, and whirls it round and round his head until he has put the weapon into sufficient momentum, and then, taking sure aim, hurls it. The giant throws up his hands and reels back and falls. The stone sank into his forehead. That was the only available point of attack. But how about the helmet on his head? Did the stone that David flung crush through the helmet? No. An old rabbi says he thinks that when Goliath scoffed at David the giant so suddenly and contemptuously jerked up his head that the helmet fell off. That is like enough. David saw the bare forehead, a foot high, and aimed at the center of it, and the skull cracked and broke in like an eggshell, and the ground shook as this great oak of a military chieftain struck it. Huzza for David!

ROMANCE AND RELIGION.

But we must hasten on, for the danger now is that night will be upon us before we reach Jerusalem. Oh! we must see it before sundown. We are climbing the hills which are terraced with olive groves, uplands rising above uplands, until we come to an immensity of barrenness, gray rocks above gray rocks, where neither tree, nor leaf, nor bush, nor grass blade can grow. The horses stumble, and slip and pull, till it seems the harness must break. [illegible] Though a vivacious party, and during part of the day jocularity had reigned, now no one spoke a word except to say to the dragoman, "Tell us when you get the first glimpse of the city." I never had such high expectation of seeing any place as of seeing Jerusalem. I think my feelings may have been slightly akin to those of the Christian just about to enter the heavenly Jerusalem. My ideas of the earthly Jerusalem were bewildering. Had I not seen pictures of it? Oh, yes; but they only increased the bewilderment. They were taken from a variety of standpoints.

If twenty artists attempt to sketch Brooklyn or New York or London or Jerusalem they will plant their cameras at different places and take as many different pictures, but in a few minutes I shall see the sacred city with my own eyes. Over another shoulder of the hill we go, and nothing in sight but rocks and mountains and awful gulches between them, which make the head swim if you look down. On and up, on and up, until the lathered and smoking horses are reined in, and the dragoman rises in front and points eastward, crying "Jerusalem!" It was mightier than an electric shock. We all rose. There it lay, the prize of nations, the terminus of famous pilgrimages, the object of Roman and crusading wars, and for it Assyrians had fought, and Egyptians had fought, and the world had fought—the place which the queen of Sheba visited and Richard Cœur de Lion had conquered. Home of Solomon; home of Ezekiel; home of Jeremiah; home of Isaiah; home of Saladin. Mount Zion of David's heartbreak, and Mount Moriah, where the sacrifices smoked; Mount of Olives, where Jesus preached, and Gethsemane, where he agonized, and Golgotha, where he died, and the holy sepulcher where he was buried. O Jerusalem! Jerusalem! Greatest city on earth, and type of the city celestial!

THE NEW JERUSALEM.

After I have been ten thousand years in heaven the memory of that first view from the rocks on the afternoon of Dec. 2 will be as vivid as now. An Arab on a horse that was like a whirlwind, bitted and saddled and spurred, its mane and flanks jet as the night—and there are no such horsemen as Arab horsemen—had come far out to meet us and invite us to his hotel inside the gates. But arrangements had been made for us to stay at a hotel outside the gates. In the dusk of evening we halted in front of the place and entered, but I said: "No; thank you for your courteous reception, but I must sleep to-night inside the gates of Jerusalem. I would rather have the poorest place inside the gates than the best place outside." So we remounted our coach and moved on amid a clamor of voices, and between camels grunting with great beams and timbers on their backs, brought in for building purposes—for it is amazing how much a camel can carry—until we came to what is called the Joppa Gate of Jerusalem. It is about forty feet wide, twenty feet deep and sixty feet high. There is a sharp turn just after you have entered, so planned as to make the entrance of armed enemies the more difficult.

On the structure of these gates the safety of Jerusalem depended, and all the Bible writers used them for illustrations. Within five minutes's walk of the gate we entered David wrote, "Enter into thy gates with thanksgiving." "Lift up your heads, O ye gates!" "The Lord loveth the gates of Zion." "Open to me the gates of righteousness." And Isaiah wrote, "Go through, go through the gates." And the captive of Patmos wrote, "The city had twelve gates." Having passed the gate we went on through the narrow streets, dimly lighted, and passed to our halting place, and sat down by the window, from which we could see Mount Zion, and said: "Here we are at last, in the capital of the whole earth." And thoughts of the past and the future rushed through my soul in quick succession, and I thought of that old hymn, sung by so many ascending spirits:

> Jerusalem, my happy home,
> Name ever dear to me!
> When shall my labors have an end,
> In joy and peace and thee?
>
> When shall these eyes thy heav'n built walls
> And pearly gates behold?
> Thy bulwarks with salvation strong,
> And streets of shining gold?

And so with our hearts full of gratitude to God for journeying mercies all the way from Joppa to Jerusalem, and with bright anticipation of our entrance into the shining gate of the heavenly city when earthly journeys are over, my second day in Palestine is ended.

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CANADIAN TELEGRAMS.

Newsy Items Gathered from Different Parts of the Dominion.

James A. Bedford, aged sixty, of Halifax, was killed on Wednesday through falling down an embankment, a fence at the top, against which he was leaning, gave way.

A horse thief named Saucy, who broke jail in Montreal, has been arrested in Nashuanh. He will fight extradition. He and his brother were the terror of Beauharnois and the vicinity. The brother is awaiting sentence for horse stealing.

A large stone house situated six miles from Maxwell, Ont., and owned by D. McNaughton, was destroyed by fire Tuesday night. Mrs. McNaughton, senior, together with young Mrs. McNaughton and baby, escaped, but her husband James, and a little girl eight years old, perished in the flames.

At employee of the Public Works Department, Ottawa, named Derome, assaulted Rev. Abbe Tanguay on the the street Monday. The abbe does not know the fellow, and has not the remotest idea why he should attack him. He reported the circumstance to Sir Hector Langevin. An investigation was made by the Minister with the result that Derome has offered an apology to his victim.

Mgr. Lafleche, Bishop of Three Rivers, Quebec, has issued an order by which the farmers are instructed to pay $7.50 per 1000 bundles of hay to their cure. They are to be refused the sacrament if they neglect to do this. The bishop says that not enough of the grain from which they derive their tithes is raised to enable the cures to live. This is a new departure, and has caused a great sensation among the farmers of the province. The same orders will, it is said, be issued by all the bishops. Formerly the habitants were exempt from tithes on hay, and paid only on grain. The result has been to induce the farmers to give their attention to hay growing and so evade paying their priests.

Gave Them Back.

They had quarreled, and the high-spirited girl said, as she handed him a small package:

"There, Mr. Ferguson, are the presents you have given me. Now, that all is over between us, sir, there should be no reminders of the foolish past."

"You are right, Miss Keezer, he said, humbly, "and I suppose I must return the gifts you have presented me."

"I never gave you anything, sir, that I remember."

"Indeed you did."

"Sir, I—"

"Miss Keezer—Katie!" he exclaimed, with something that sounded like a sob, "I value them beyond everything else in this world! It will break my heart to return them, but there is nothing left for me to do."

"Will you kindly tell me, sir, what things you speak of?"

"I am speaking, Katie, of the kisses you have given me! They are not mine now. It is my duty to restore them. Forgive me, darling, but I cannot go away without—"

"O, George!"

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When the clock struck 11, about three hours later, George was still returning them.—Chicago Tribune.

Carlyle on the Commons.

Mr. Stead's "character sketch" this month consists of a very appreciative account of the career of "our only General." The following is Lord Wolseley's own account of his interview with Carlyle, to which reference is made in Froude's "Life."

I asked Lord Wolseley, says Mr. Stead, what had passed on the occasion when he saw Carlyle. He said he had only seen Carlyle once, when, it might be said, he was dying. Carlyle had sent for him, and Mr. Froude was present. He was there for about an hour. Carlyle was very weak—"so weak that if I slammed the door," said Lord Wolseley, "I think he would have died on the spot. I said very little, being anxious to hear him speak as much as possible, but I asked him some questions. I asked him what he thought of the future of England. He said: "You will find my ideas expressed in the book which my friend there (pointing to Mr. Froude) has written about Cæsar."

Lord Wolseley said he had read it, and was much interested in it. It is an elaborate parallel between the state of England to-day and that of Rome in the time of Julius Cæsar.

"And what," said Lord Wolseley, "do you think of the House of Commons?"

He said gruffly.—

"I think that it is a place in which there are 600 talking asses!"

When Lord Wolseley rose to go Mr. Carlyle said:—

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NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT "THE BRITISH Columbian Investment and Loan Society Limited," will after the expiration of three months from the date hereof, apply to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council to have its name changed to "The British Columbia Deposit and Loan Company, Limited."
DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
Bastion street, Victoria.
Dated the 27th day of Aug., A.D. 1890. au28-3m

In the matter of Christopher Webb, Deceased, Intestate,
AND
In the matter of the Official Administrator's Act.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, the undersigned has been authorized to administer the personal estate of the late Christopher Webb.
Therefore all persons having claims against the said estate, and all persons indebted thereto are hereby required to send in such claims and pay such indebtedness to the undersigned.
WM. MONTEITH,
se16-1m Official Administrator.

NOTICE.

A MEETING OF THE FRENCH BENEVOlent and Mutual Association will be held in Hospital Parlor on Sunday, October 5th next at 2:30 p.m.
This meeting is called for the purpose of considering the agreement for the amalgamation of our Society with the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital, and having said agreement ratified.
G. H. BROWN,
Victoria, B. C., Sept. 26, 1890. Hon. sec. se26-td

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

An undivided fifth of Suburban Lot No. xxxviii, also Subdivision Lot No. 15 of Suburban Lot xlv and xxxvii, and Sections lxi and lxii Esquimalt District.

CERTIFICATES OF INDEFEASIBLE title to the above property will be issued to Thomas Atkins on the 4th day of January, 1891, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the Registrar-General, in writing, by some person claiming an estate, or interest in said property or some part thereof.
H. DALLAS HELMCKEN,
Acting Registrar-General.
Land Registry office,
Victoria, 27th Sept. 1890. oc2-3m

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TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO the 15th of October for grubbing and clearing, plowing and levelling, and building a race track according to plans and specifications which can be seen at the Saanich Exhibition on the 9th, and afterwards at Blackman & Ker's office, Victoria, or at the residence of the President, S. Sandover.
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H. BRETHOUR,
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NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

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FORSAKING HIS FRIENDS.

Mr. ROBSON, we are told, paid no attention to party tactics when he elected to sit for Cariboo. Possibly. Neither did he think about his old constituents. But he thought about JOHN ROBSON. The plea that he has no time to give to the interests of such a large constituency as Westminster, because his work as Premier requires all his time, is utter nonsense. Mr. ROBSON was one of three representatives for one district, and it was not necessary that he should "take upon himself the task of representing" exclusively the entire district. The difficulty with Honest JOHN is that he cannot forgive Westminster for electing two independents. He declined to accord to his colleagues any status, or any voice in the affairs of the district. He wanted either to rule or ruin. If the work of the premiership, added to the duties of a representative, was too much for him, he could very easily have asked the two "independents" to relieve him of his parochial labors, and they would have done so very cheerfully. They felt annoyed that ROBSON insisted upon doing everything, especially in allotting the work to be done on the public roads and bridges. The apology of Mr. ROBSON's organ is "too thin;" in the expressive language of Mr. ROBSON, "it won't wash."

When Sir JOHN MACDONALD was elected for two constituencies, he chose to sit as the representative of his old friends in Kingston. He would not forsake those who had stood by him for a quarter of a century. Grateful for what Kingston had done for him Sir JOHN believed that he owed that city something and he resolved to stand by it. Not so with ROBSON. At the first opportunity he turns his back upon the people of Westminster—the district that made him what he is—the district that gave him the opportunity to become rich and prominent. There never was, we venture to say, an instance of baser ingratitude shown by a representative to a constituency.

SAUCE FOR CANADA IS SAUCE FOR THE STATES.

The Tory press have no more idea of consistency than Stanley's dwarf's have of the Ten Commandments, and this is patent in the squeal they emit over the passage of the McKinley bill. With these consistent gentry protection is good for Canada but it is not good for the United States. The Foster bill was a divinely conceived measure, but the McKinley bill is an emanation from the devil, unfriendly, even hostile. It is a queer condition of mind which blesses protection on the one hand and curses it on the other. The man who can condemn the McKinley bill as illiberal and yet upholds the Foster measure is the victim of both mental and moral obliquity. He is not willing to concede to others what he demands for himself. The Tory press should find in the McKinley bill an endorsement of National Policy, but instead of that they condemn it both as unsound and as unfriendly. To be consistent the Tory press should extend the hand of approval to Mr. MCKINLEY. They should secure his photograph and hang it up beside Mr. FOSTER'S. Instead of regarding Mr. MCKINLEY a foe they should regard him a friend. What is the McKinley bill but National Policy? Is not what is sauce for Canada sauce for the United States? We do not approve of the McKinleyism, nor do we approve of the Fosterism. The last persons in the world to complain of the McKinley bill should be the Canadian Tories. They ought to be willing to concede to the United States what they insist on having for themselves. In the passage of the McKinley bill the supporters of N.P. are being treated to a dose of their own medicine, and in making wry faces over it they justify the charge of the Globe, namely, that they are not willing to trade with the States on fair terms. So long as Canada adheres to national policy she cannot complain of the United States for doing the same thing. It is astonishing that Sir JOHN should advert to the McKinley bill in the language that he does when he [illegible] a reduction of the policy he has pursued for the last twelve years. Sir JOHN in declaiming against the McKinley bill simply repudiates his own doctrine, and only that his supporters were blinded by prejudice, they would be able to see it. Canada's squeal against the McKinley bill in the face of her recent boost of the tariff cannot be justified on any ground whatsover. The best thing the Tories can do is to hold their tongues.

WOLSELEY ON DEMOCRACY AND WAR.

Lord WOLSELEY has been interviewed by somebody to the following effect:

"He is of the opinion that there will be another war between France and Germany, which will be the bloodiest conflict Europe has ever known. Speaking of America, he said, you have a pure democracy, and a pure democracy is capable of doing much more in the direction of strong measures and of war than a mixed system such as ours. When democracy is thoroughly established in England, the chief security against war will have disappeared. It is democracies that make wars; oligarchies that are afraid of them, especially an olarchy like ours, which is timid and hampered by the party system. Our system, by dividing the nation politically into two halves, each of which opposes on principle whatever the other one proposes, paralyzes our strength when a minister is tempted to go to war. If our people were as unanimous in cases of affront as the United States, we should go to war many more times than we do. In America questions of foreign policy, involving the maintenance of the honor of the flag or the rights of American citizens, are outside the area of party dispute. The whole nation acts as one man. Hence, Russia, Germany and France habitually show the United States a deference which they never show England."

It is rather amusing to hear England's "only general" talk about a pure democracy in America, when in both Canada and the United States the plutocrats systematically assess themselves for the purpose of debauching the electorate. The Foster bill was the result of a demand coming from a manufacturing oligarchy, and the same is true of the McKinley bill. It would appear that so soon as a man enters Parliament or Congress he at once becomes the tool of special interests. Take the tin interest in the States for example. Since the passage of the new tariff law some $25,000,000 of capital has been set in motion, and, says the Seattle Press, a by no means free trade journal:

"It would appear that there must be an immense amount of profit to the manufacturer under the new protective laws. No other industry has attracted half so much wealth. If the protection on tin will speedily create home production, and as was the case with American iron and steel manufacture, bring down the cost to the public through home competition, this added burden may be borne by the people with a degree of patience. But it now looks as if the protective tariff were too high."

Where interests of this kind prevail, it is simply a perversion of facts to rate the United States a pure democracy. The tyranny of capitalized interests, or, in other words, the rule of Plutocracy, was never better exemplified than it is being now in the United States and Canada.

CULTURE IN COMMERCE.

Apropos of a recent attack on university men, the following reference to the subject of "Culture in Commerce" by Sir D. WILSON, of Toronto University, in his address to convocation, will be of interest:

"No delusion can be greater than the assumption that the highest intellectual culture is inimical to trade and commercial enterprise. The Florence of the middle ages—the city of Dante and Giotto, of Boccacio, Michael Angelo and Galileo—was the centre of trading industry and wealth when Sheffield and Birmingham were rustic hamlets, and Lancashire and Yorkshire were mere grazing farm land. Edward III owed to the bankers of Florence the means of equipping the yeomen who conquered at Cressy and Poictiers, and, when Italian art and letters degenerated with her loss of freedom, trade followed them to other centres beyond the Alps. Antwerp, the later hive of European industry, whence the raw wools of England were returned to her from the loom, and where the great annual fairs attracted merchants from all lands, was also the home of Gruter and Ortelius, of Reubens, Vandyke and Teniers; and Quintin Matsis, the blacksmith of Antwerp, ranks among the most prized artists of the Low Countries. These are but examples of the general law. He must have read history to little purpose who has yet to learn that commerce and manufactures have in all ages found their common centres with arts and letters. The cartoons of Raphael are the products of his genius enlisted in the service of the loom, and England's famous Wedgwood ware owed its worth to the same artistic skill that gave the charm to Flaxman's Homer. It would be a wasteful employment of exceptional energy to systematically divert men of such capacity into the ordinary work of trade. But it is the dilettante, and the poetaster, not the man of true genius, to whom such work is impossible. Chaucer was entrusted with the negotiation of a commercial treaty with Genoa, and subsequently appointed comptroller of the customs in the port of London. Milton was the Latin secretary of the Commonwealth and the defender of its policy against all assailants. Newton filled the office of Master of the Mint. Among England's successful bankers are the poet Rogers, author of The Pleasure of Memory. Grote, the eminent scholar and historian, and Lubbock, distinguished among British archæologists and chancellor of the University of London, while William Morris—foremost in the ranks of England's younger generation of poets, possibly our future poet laureate—is one of her most skilled manufacturers, successful as the rival in textile art of McLean and Sarres [illegible] nations for supremacy in the world's marts, the race will be to the swift and the battle to the strong, and strength in such a rivalry means intellectual supremacy. Sir Joshua Reynolds, when questioned what he painted with by a tyro who fancied that he could thus snatch the secret of the master's art, replied "with brains." For the true equipment of such, education cannot be too high. With our excellent public schools, accessible to all, our free libraries, our [illegible] unshackeled even by an honest respect for the author's right of property in his work of pen and brain—knowledge is widely diffused, but it is mainly superficial."

ENTRES NOUS.

We regret that no opportunity will be offered the press or the board of trade of this city to interview Mr. JOSEPH CHAMBERLAIN on the all-absorbing question of the McKinley bill and trade questions generally. Mr. CHAMBERLAIN has found that it will be impossible to visit the Pacific Coast at the present time, and will shortly return to England. This is very greatly to be regretted, for we are sure that he would have had much to say on economic problems that would have been instructive and profitable to the theoretical free traders but practical protectionists of the Victoria board of trade.

As a specimen of the language used by a paper "written by gentlemen for gentlemen," we call the following eloquent expressions from a leader in this morning's Colonist. The appropriateness of the words will be understood when we state that the article is intended as an exposition of high-toned journalism as exemplified by the Colonist in contradistinction to the TIMES:

Scold,	Worms,
Slanderer,	Pigmels,
Vilifier,	Scoundrels,
Evil-speaker,	An idiot,
Vilest words,	A loafer,
Envy,	Ruffian,
Hatred,	Low and ill-bred,
Malice	Indecency,
Calumny,	Unscrupulous,
Habitual slanderer.	

And so on to the length of half a column. It will be apparent to most people that the writer is not a Sunday school teacher.

ARTESIAN WELLS AGAIN.

The Vancouver News, in its treatment of artesian wells, manifests a want of appreciation in relation to their importance, only excelled by its sarcastic allusions to the government's policy. The News seems to forget that in making the junior member for Cariboo ridiculous, it raises the question of the availability of a valuable auxiliary to agriculture, without which this Province must, under the incubus of the National Policy, remain greatly handicapped in its race with the other parts of the Dominion. If, we must have National Policy to suit the exigencies of manufacturers and the prejudices of the ultra loyal, we must have irrigation of some kind. It is neither loyal nor in accordance with national policy that we should eat the quantity of Yankee "grub" that we do; besides, it is expensive, which is an excellent reason in itself. It is all very well to ridicule the Premier. His push and his energy in certain directions are not such as to entitle him to a monument or to even honorable mention; but irrigation is a vital matter, and if the former cannot be scandalized without pouring cold water on the latter, the subject had better be let alone altogether. The vision of the News, we are afraid, is limited to the City of Vancouver. In the estimation of the News there is more in dry docks than there is in irrigation. "Millions for dry docks and fortifications, but not a dollar for irrigation," is the slogan of the News. The News one day will learn better, we trust. Now that the News has again raised the question of the utility of artesian wells, let us see what may, and ought, and probably will, result in the consequence of their feasibility. On the South Thompson River, between Kamloops and Little Shuswap, there are 50,000 acres of land which may be made productive by irrigation. Between Kamloops and Tranquille there must be something like 10,000 acres, which for the want of water had as well be in Equatorial Africa in so far as they form a valuable provincial asset. Thus, if artesian wells are feasible, we have on the South Thompson river, in the vicinity of Kamloops, 60,000 acres which, for wheat raising purposes alone, are worth to the Province $720,000 a year. This quantity of land should produce 1,200,000 bushels, and at 60 cents a bushel we get the above valuation of its productiveness. But it is not the valley of the South Thompson that we have wholly in mind. The valley of the North Thompson is susceptible of cultivation also, and we understand that it contains as much, if not more, land than the valley of the South Thompson. Admitting, however, that it does not contain as much arable land as the South Thompson, there is not less than 100,000 acres of land on both the North and South Thompsons which may be made productive if artesian wells are found to be practicable for irrigation. Taking wheat as a basis for an estimate of what this land is worth yearly in dollars and cents, we find that at 60 cents per bushel, allowing 20 bushels to the acre, it will produce a revenue of $1,200,000, with the additional feature of increased population of say 1600. This is allowing a family of five to every 320 acres. This is what irrigation would do for the now useless valleys of the North and South Thompson rivers, and our estimate is conservative when we say that the results would be. But how are these results to be achieved? Who is willing to go to the trouble and expense of reclaiming this land by the method here proposed. We take it that the people of British Columbia are essentially progressive; that when it shall have been fully demonstrated that artesian water is feasible at a reasonable expense, the capital will be found to perfect the scheme in all its parts. There is plenty of capital in the Thompson river valleys to carry out the scheme when the Government shall have demonstrated its feasibility. But not alone in an agricultural sense is irrigation desirable in the interior. It is needed for purposes of stock raising if nothing else. British Columbia does not produce beef enough for her own consumption, and the reason lies in the simple fact that she does not produce hay enough to carry stock through the winter. The North and South Thompson river valleys turned into one immense hay ranch would save stockmen thousands of dollars yearly. The fact of the matter is, if the truth must be told, the limit of beef production in this province is about reached, and for no other reason than that stockmen are unable to provide the amount of fodder required to carry stock through the winter months. We claim that irrigation is desirable from this point of view alone, and we believe that when stock raisers shall have become assured that water sufficient for irrigating purposes may be had by boring for it, there will be an activity in that direction which will make the News stick out its eyes. At all events the future prosperity of the province hinges largely upon water. The newspapers, particularly national policy papers, may rant about the resources of the country, but without water these will remain as they have for years—a figment of the Tory imagination. Artesian water is worth more to Vancouver than a dry dock, while as for Kamloops it would make it a place of ten times the consequence it is at present. The News may look to national policy as a means of booming the country, but unless national policy is moistened with water from somewhere, whether it be from the rivers, the lakes, or artesian wells, it can never help British Columbia. Without irrigation British Columbia can never be made self supporting.

WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

H. M. S. Daphne returned this morning from a cruise.

The Amelia has been berthed near the outer harbor.

The steamer Danube hauled up to Spratt's wharf this morning.

Spratt's Ark is still carrying stone from Keefer's quarry for the new post office at Vancouver.

The steamer Premier is to go on the City of Kingston's route while the latter vessel is in the dry dock.

The steamer Belle came down from the Fraser this morning and took two scows in tow for the mills.

The steamer Vancouver, of Vancouver, came in this morning for her annual survey and overhaul.

The Batavia on the next outward trip will take a full load of cargo, composed chiefly of flour, cotton, lumber and machinery.

There is talk of placing the steamer Yaquina on the Alaska run in place of the Mexico this winter. The trade hardly pays to keep a big boat on this run.

The ship Alaska which left Tacoma for San Francisco last Friday with 2300 tons of coal, was stove in off Flattery during the storm Monday night by heavy seas and water logged. The sailors became frightened and the Alaska was towed back to port. Four or five hundred tons of coal will be transferred to the ship Two Brothers, and after being repaired the Alaska will again sail for San Francisco.

The Nova Scotia bark Hamburg, 1658 tons, Captain Caldwell, has been towed into Vancouver by the tug J. H. Markle and will load lumber for Callao from Morse's Mill. The Hamburg has just come from Yokohama and occupied 27 days in the trip to Port Angeles where she anchored from Friday night till Wednesday night. On the journey across the Pacific she encountered a hurricane of twenty hours' duration on crossing the line of east longitude. The topsails were lost in the blow but no damage done otherwise. The Hamburg will take away with her about one and a half million feet of lumber.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

Rev. D. McRae is indisposed.

J. W. Griffiths, of Port Townsend, is over on a visit.

T. J. Partridge, city collector, returned from the Sound last evening.

Ben Young returned from San Francisco by the Walla Walla yesterday.

G. D. Scroggy, Geo. M. Millard and E. H. Dagood, of Seattle, are at the Driard.

A. D. Whittier and bride returned last night from Portland, where they have been spending their honeymoon. Mr. and Mrs. Whittier have taken a house on Fernwood road, which they will make their home.

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BRIEF LOCALS.

The Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

[illegible] the men's meeting at 4 p.m. to-morrow.

St. James' church has been prettily decorated for a harvest service to-morrow.

The Free Press says not a cent of outside money will be needed for the Nanaimo street railway.

If you want to get bargains in shoes, come while the stock is assorted at 74 Yates street. tf

A large panther was seen in the vicinity of McCauley's Point yesterday. [illegible]

Gum Boots, Rubbers, Arctics, &c., for everybody, at Erskine's, 132 Government street, corner Johnson.

The new court house at Vancouver has been opened in due form with a dinner by the members of the bar.

The governor-general-in-council has approved the by-laws of the pilotage district of Yale and New Westminster.

Deer are scarce about Nanaimo, and is as dear as butcher meat. Even the Indians complain that they cannot find game anywhere.

Don't fail to attend the clearing sale of boots and shoes at Hilbert's 74 Yates street. tf

Four men of the Warspite having broken their leave, have been described to the police for the purpose of apprehension.

Indians report that a large canoe was upset off Port Townsend during the late gale, and that three klootchmen were drowned.

Twenty or thirty men from the Albion Iron Works will go down on the cars to-morrow morning to work on the City of Kingston.

A Dominion order-in-council has been passed authorizing the Militia Department to bring C Battery up to full strength by drafts on A and B Batteries.

W. T. Drake has removed his coal office to near James Bay Bridge. *

Old timers state, and marine men state that the big breeze of Monday last was the heaviest felt in Victoria since the big storm of 1875.

Hilbert's boot and shoe stock at 74 Yates street must be sold regardless of cost. tf

The friends of Ald. Costello, of Vancouver, are afraid he has been drowned. He went on a fishing trip a week ago and has not been heard of since.

First Presbyterian—The morning service will be conducted by Mr. Teague; in the evening Rev. John Reid, jr., of Great Falls, Montana, will officiate.

Mrs. Snowden gives an "at home" next Thursday, at her beautiful residence or the Arm. The invitation cards say dancing at 9 o'clock. Poudre.

The international committee of the Young Men's Christian Association have appointed Nov. 9th to the 15th as the time for the annual "week of prayer" for young men.

The store of DeGraf, the missing Seattle merchant, mentioned in yesterday's paper, has been attached by creditors. The assets are largely in excess of the liabilities.

Dealers in agricultural implements are beginning to reap the benefit of the Wide Tire Act, and the farmers, or most of them, are the possessors of new wagons.

The new organ for St. James church which arrived from England last week, will be put in position next week and will no doubt be ready for next Sunday's services.

E. W. Bickle, Wellington, having removed to Northfield, Miss K. Carstairs has been appointed postmaster temporally, or until the Government nominate a successor.

The harvest festival service, which took place in St. John's church last Sunday, will, by request of a large proportion of the congregation, be repeated to-morrow.

The Nanaimo Free Press, a veracious and respectable paper, says the sardines are so thick in Commercial Inlet that it is almost impossible for a stone to sink on account of the fish being so close together.

The traffic earnings for the week ending September 30th, on the Canadian Pacific, were $499,000; for the same week last year, $498,000. The earnings of the New Brunswick Railway are included in both years.

The New Vancouver Coal Company is pushing forward boring in Comox, and a considerable depth has been reached. Mr. Robins, who has returned from the work, says everything works satisfactory.

The Chinese revenue returns at Vancouver, B.C., for the last month, according to the returns received by the Customs Department, were $4,448.50, a decrease of $1,664 compared with the figures for the same period of last year.

Mr W. Baillie Grohman has taken the house of Mr. R. E. Jackson, who goes to England, so he will now be a resident of Victoria. He is the manager of the Kootenay Valley Co. (Ld.), whose headquarters are in Government street.

A glance at the manifest of the Islander from Vancouver last evening, will impress anyone with the fact that Victorians are a thirsty people. Amongst the other items was 400 cases of whiskey, 400 of condensed milk, 492 bags of malt, 60 cases of coffee and 10 cases of cocoa.

After service last Sunday evening in St. Andrews's (Presbyterian) church, an unintentional exchange of hats was made by two gentlemen. One of the hats can be procured by the owner on applying at the Driard. The gentleman who took it didn't notice the mistake till he came to put the hat on his head after leaving the church.

Affairs in Port Angeles are assuming an air of permanence and prosperity in trade and commerce. Arrangements have been effected whereby in the near future the City of Kingston will stop there on her daily trips up and down the Sound. Customs Collector Bradshaw, of Port Townsend, is opening a branch office, for which he has appointed a deputy collector.

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High Praise Given new Inventions in the Colonist.

In this morning's Colonist appeared a lengthy article calling attention to many recent improvements in frames for eyeglasses, all of which are patented, and speaking particularly of the merits of an ingenious spring frame which is so much in demand in the United States that the makers are unable to supply them as fast as required. A great deal [illegible] people who have been wearing the old patterns of frames and it is not strange, therefore, that scores of Victoria people who desire the best and most convenient of the new pattern frames, are ordering these easy fitting and beautiful devices through Mr. Seward, the celebrated New York optician, now at the Driard House.

It is quite as essential that the frame of the eye glass should fit perfectly and easily, as that the glass should be carefully adapted to the eye, and Mr. Seward is enabled to meet both requirements fully, which accounts for his great popularity here.

By special request of a large number of people who have called during the day, without appointments, and were unable to wait long, Mr. Seward has decided to keep evening hours, from 7 to 8 o'clock p.m., which will accommodate the class mentioned, as well as all who cannot call during the day.—Adv.

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THE RACES.

Some Good Trotting Made—Ito Displays Unknown Qualities.

There was a feeling of safety in betting on a horse at yesterday's races which didn't exist at the Spring meeting. This altered and satisfactory state of affairs was brought about by the evident determination of the judges to enforce the rules as strictly, yet as justly as possible. It was nothing but what was to have been expected, therefore, that, barring accidents, P.G.A.R. should win the remaining two heats in the 2:40 class. He did the decisive rounds in 2:48¼ and 2:44¾.

Joe Wynne, the stranger, again attracted favorable notice in winning two straight heats in the ⅝ mile repeat. He was a favorite at start, and the confidence, or rather money, placed in him, was not lost. Time '35 and '38.

The 2:50 class, trotting and pacing, was a cause of trouble in one respect and may yet prove to be so in another. The condition was that the owners should drive the horses. In other words it was to be a provincial race, and whether the fact was made plain on the entry card is not known; the programme said nothing about it. Mason, of Vancouver, entered his Vancouver Dan, a superb trotter, and put Gannon, a well known driver behind him. The judges objected and there was an altercation, which resulted in Mason's deferring to the judges, and driving the horse himself. This spoiled an otherwise good race. In the first heat, R. Tolmie let Maude C's head pass the pole on a 2:49 effort, with Campbell's Diamond a creditable second, and Mason's Vancouver Dan third. Maude C got away with an undue advantage in the second heat under the cool hand of Tolmie; but she had a keen competitor in Vancouver Dan. Had the latter been in front of a more experienced hand, the position would have been reversed without a doubt.—2:45½.

The one mile dash was the final event of the day, but it was nothing more than a contest between Ball's Cyclone and McNeil's Ito. The latter was showing signs of laming before the race, but he pulled together and went straight into work. Captain Lacey was merely a fill in entry, and J. M. R. was scratched. Cyclone left the paddock the favorite by long odds, and Ito's evidence of lameness increased those odds enormously. Ito was mounted by Joe Wynne's jockey, and to those on the inside run this meant something not to be disregarded. They accepted the odds offered on Cyclone and made considerable winnings. Ito, splendidly mounted, displayed and brought into use qualities which it was thought he didn't possess. Before closing up to the pole at the start, it seemed as if Cyclone was going to run on the inside before the first corner was turned, but Ito got his head as the gong sounded and took the lead in a graceful stretch. From this he had the race, the distance between him and his pursuer alternating from a length to two lengths. Although Ito's success was an assured fact from the time he took the lead, the excitement of the crowd was intense. Time, 1:50½.

PADDOCK PICKINGS.

Joe Wynne was the victim of some enemy yesterday, who drugged him and rendered his chances of running today a matter of impossibility. It is one of those events in a paddock which are of common occurrence, and where the placing of the blame is a matter of difficulty and delicacy.

Mason has entered a protest on the result of the 2:50 class, and it is likely that the horses will run again. Both, however, are capable of less time, and should be entered in another class.

Ito looked lame this morning but he has had good treatment.

The pool sellers did a good business at yesterday's meet when the public entered into the spirit of the events.

TO-DAY'S EVENTS.

Things and people, as well as the weather, were dull at the opening of the Jockey Club's programme at the Driving Park this afternoon. The races commenced promptly on time with the trotting and pacing 2:30 class. Bay Frank having been scratched, the field was left to P. G. A. R., Donald, and the old time favorite Dalco, the latter sharing the position of favorite with P. G. A. R. The first heat was about the prettiest and most blameless exhibition of trotting ever witnessed on this track. Donald was soon distanced and the contest left between Dalco and P.G.A.R. Both horses did good honest trotting, both rounds, neck and neck, till the home stretch was reached, when P.G.A.R. made a slight drop and lost ground, not much, but sufficient at that period to give the victory to his rival in 2:39¼.

Joe Wynne is still very sick, and much strong feeling is expressed against the cowardly trick that has been played. Cyclone has strained a muscle and is scratched from the running 1 1-8 mile dash.

The remaining events are a running ½ mile and repeat, a running 1⅛ mile dash, high jumping contest and a half mile dash for ponies.

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MRS. MARY A. CUNNINGHAM TO W. C. T. U.

Difficulties of Meeting in General Convention—The Enormous Sums Spent in England and America for Alcoholic Liquors—Women on School Boards.

DOMINION W. C. T. U. CONVENTION.

The third annual convention of the Dominion W.C.T.U. was held in Montreal the last week in May. Miss Willard and Miss Gordon were again present giving most valuable assistance. Mrs. S. W. Foster, of Knowlton, Quebec, presided, and the the three eastern provinces were well represented. The Northwest Territories, Manitoba and British Columbia had no representation, though each sent in their full affiliation dues. The distance and expense of travel shuts us out from the benefits to be derived from meeting in annual Dominion convention. The Maritime Provincial Union's invitation has been accepted by convention for next year, making it still more difficult for the Western Provinces to "get there." Perhaps by the year following Manitoba may be chosen as the place of meeting. The inspiration gained from such a gathering is only known to those who are privileged to attend.

Mrs. Foster in her address gathered together some statistical facts relating to the liquor traffic in Canada, which I will reproduce in her own words, feeling that it may help us to get into touch with dominion unions. After eulogizing "this fair and broad Dominion" she proceeds: "So from the vantage ground of our present outlook as a Dominion union I ask you to take with me a survey of this "land of promise"—this "Canada of ours," which we call home. Not yet twenty-three years old—the youngest nation in the world, we claim the largest area. Our seven provinces and vast Northwest Territory containing 3,470,257 square miles, dotted with mountains, which are the birth place of mighty rivers and lakes, which contain one-half of all the fresh waters on the globe. The great railway systems connecting the Atlantic and Pacific, and tapping the great railway systems of this continent thereby seeking to annihilate time and space. Its vast area of agricultural and timbered lands. Its important fisheries upon both coasts. Its wealth of mineral deposits, with vast coal fields, the value and extend of which cannot be estimated. With a government in the hands of a sovereign people, the only real connection between Canada and the Mother Country, other than the love which is in our hearts for her, being "the right of appeal from Canadian courts of law to the Privy Council; the appointment by the Imperial Government of our Governor-General, who, nevertheless, does as his Canadian ministry advises and instructs him; and the power to make treaties for us."

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are scattered over this broad domain, many, it is true, born under other flags than that of the Dominion; but it is our adopted country, and it is for us to develop its vast resources, to guard its interests, and to guide the ship of state away from the shoals and quicksands al Alcoholism into the safe, peaceful harbor of Prohibition. Can we not say of a truth (Ps. xvi, 6) "The lines have fallen unto me in pleasant places; yea, I have a goodly heritage."

A sense of responsibility is a good thing. It has taken many a man and woman, many a child hedged around by poverty and misfortune, and has led them up through successive stages, past the pitfals and yawning chasms of sin which met them at every turn, and has moulded them into some of the bravest men and noblest women which the world has ever known. What are our responsibilities as Christian women to this greatest foe which this Canada of ours has to meet? I refer to the manufacture, importation and sale of alcoholic liquors which the laws of our country have legalized. According to Inland revenue and trade and navigation returns, the following quantities of liquor were manufactured and imported into this Dominion during the past fiscal year:

	Gallons.
Proof Spirits, distilled	8,847,508
Malt Liquors, made	14,787,285
Foreign Liquors, imported	1,785,639
Total	22,419,432

These figures do not include the wines and cider manufactured in Canada, nor the products of the 26 illicit stills which were broken up by the Government officers, nor the quantities smuggled in on the coasts and the international line, which would amount to thousands of barrels more. Every gallon of proof spirits—as reported above—represents three or four gallons as consumed. It has been stated openly in parliament, on one or two occasions, that Canada's drink bill amounts to sixty million dollars a year, and this to be divided up among a population of 5,000,000, many of whom are women and children who are free from this dreadful appetite; and yet neither political party will prohibit its manufacture, but rather help to protect the liquor interests and thus send at least 5000 of our fellow citizens to fill drunkard's graves every year and 16,000 more whose habits have opened the way for disease to lay its hand upon them. My sisters, the omniscient eye which watches over the creatures whom He has made, notes all these things, and they are stored up against the day of wrath. Happy are those who are free from complicity with the drink traffic in that day. The duty on alcoholic beverages in England last year amounted to £3,800,000 sterling, while the amount paid out by her people for this liquor is placed at £700,000,000, and America's drink bill at $900,000,000. The temperance sentiment is steadily increasing throughout the Dominion, and I believe much of this sentiment has been created and roused by the W. C. T. U. A noted man once said: "With public sentiment nothing can fail, without public sentiment nothing can succeed, consequently he who moulds public sentiment goes deeper than he who enacts statutes or pronounces decisions. He makes statutes and decisions possible to be executed."

THE WORLD'S W.C.T.U.

According to the rule of regular success on our Dominion president would this year have taken the position of World's W.C.T.U. President, but by the request of Mrs. Foster, the Dominion executive handed over to Miss Willard, for another three years term, the honor and responsibility belonging to an office created for Miss Willard, accepted the gift, and in prophetic vision places this crown of presidency upon the head of Mrs. Mary Clement Leavitt, the pioneer round the world missionary, in the year 1893, when she shall have completed her circle of the globe, extending over a period of nine years. Then, after allowing her a year's rest, Miss Willard would "send her forth at the head of a delegation of White Ribboners, to present the Great Petition to the world's leading governments."

THE NATIONAL INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION,

which met this year in Pittsburgh, Pa., was attended by many W.C.T.U. workers. Miss Willard and Miss Kimball represented the National Union in asking that four specific temperance lessons be inserted in the list of lessons for each year, on some other than review Sunday, resulting in a unanimous opinion that the temperance lessons should not come in on review Sunday, and a promise that two specific and two optional temperance lessons should be arranged for the year 1892, none of the four being placed on review Sunday, these lessons to be as fully elaborated in the Sunday school lesson helps as any other others. It was also urged that temperance be taught in every lesson as far as practicable. The way is now opened for more definite temperance effort among the children attending Sunday schools. The superintendents and teachers should be interviewed and requested to bring before their teachers' meetings the importance of securing attractive temperance story books for their libraries, and on temperance days circulating the pledge and distributing leaflets which the children may take to their homes.

SCIENTIFIC TEMPERANCE INSTRUCTION.

Our expectations of a year ago have not been realized in this department, owing to the failure of the Board of Education to introduce the Barnes' or Pathfinder series of text books into our public schools. "Dr. Richardson's Temperance Lesson Book," although authorized for use, is not doing the good it might, because not made compulsory, and in many of the schools it has never been seen by the pupils. Perhaps the superintendents in the local unions have not investigated this matter or applied to the school trustees asking that these lesson books find a place in every school room.

In Ontario Scientific Temperance Instruction is compulsory throughout the province. They use "Dr. Richardson's Public School Temperance." In Quebec province the Barnes' series of text books have been compulsory in all Protestant model schools for the past three years. In New Brunswick the board of education has made temperance teaching compulsory from the fourth grade upwards, prescribing "Dr. Palmer's Temperance teaching of science" for the use of the 6th, 7th and 8th grades. The W.C.T. Unions are petitioning the board of education to include the first three grades in the compulsory clause, and also that the Barnes' series of text books be prescribed for general use. The B. C. Minister of Education being already interested in this subject, a convention memorial might strengthen his hands and so secure for us the improvements we desire.

The Dominion Superintendent of Scientific Tempenance Instruction, in her report, from which I have been gleaning, says: "While we are about it let us strike for the introduction of the best series of books of the kind. I know of none better than the Barnes' series. That these are American books should be of no objection to them, as they are purely scientific, containing no allusion to any country or any government; how, then, can they dissemin te disloyalty? Let us have the best books that are to be had on the subject, it matters not whether they are British or American."

WOMEN ON SCHOOL BOARDS.

Enjoying equal suffrages with our husbands, in municipal and school elections, and being more intimately acquainted with our children's school life and needs than their fathers, therefore, taking a greater interest in school government and improvements, as demonstrated by the large majority of mothers attending school examinations, it seems but reasonable to suppose that the presence of women on the trustee boards would result in good to all concerned. A large proportion of the teachers being women, they would sometimes find it convenient to apply to a woman trustee for any needful reform or redress.

Women would make most intelligent school inspectors and visitors and their recommendations in the board meetings would secure the introduction of modern appliances in the school buildings affecting both the moral and sanitary condition of the pupils. In other countries women are being elected to this office and the Canadian temperance women now feel it to be a duty they owe to their children to seek thus to be recognized.

ETHICAL CULTURE IN SCHOOLS.

As Miss Willard puts it—"Head, Hand Heart"—this is the watchword of the hour in education." And to secure this the W. C. T. U. not only desire the compulsory scientific temperance instruction into the schools of our province but also covets for our children the advantages of an early kindergarten training as a foundation upon which to build all the other departments of study until the high school is finally reached. To this they would add the refining and improving power of song for all grades, realizing that music pet to patriotic, temperance, gospel and band of mercy sentiments can be made a great factor in cultivating the higher natures of our boys and girls. I would like to see the example of the Toronto school trustees largely followed, who at the opening of the public schools after vacation this summer had a national flag floating proudly from the top of every school house. This must tend to create a feeling of loyalty and love of country.

(To be continued.)

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Until further notice,
The Steamer ISABEL will sail as follows:
CALLING AT WAY PORTS:
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" Comox for Nanaimo ..... Friday, 7 a.m.
" Nanaimo for Victoria ..... Saturday, 7 a.m.
For freight or passage apply on board.
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CANADIAN PACIFIC NAVIGATION CO.,
(LIMITED.)
TIME TABLE No. 13,
Taking effect July 17, 1890.

Vancouver Route.
Victoria to Vancouver daily, except Monday, at 8 o'clock, a.m.
Vancouver to Victoria daily, except Monday, at 11:30 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route.
LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island, Sunday at 10 o'clock; Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C.P.R. train No. 2 going East Monday.)
For Plumper Pass Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.
For Moresby Island Friday at 7 o'clock.
LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria, Monday at 4:30 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Plumper Pass Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Fraser River Route.
Steamers leave New Westminster for Chilliwhack and Way Landings every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route.
Steamships of this Co. will leave for Pt. Simpson and intermediate ports on the 1st and 15th of each month. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route.
Steamer Maude leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound ports when sufficient inducements offer.

Bute Inlet Route.
Steamer Islubow leaves every Tuesday at 7 a.m. for Cowichan, New Westminster, Burrard Inlet, Bute Inlet and way ports.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.
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RAILWAYS.

ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY.

TIME TABLE NO. 12.

To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Saturday, October 11th, 1890.

Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

COING SOUTH. READ UP.	No. 1 Passenger Daily.	No. 3 Passenger Sat. and Mon.	Miles from Wellington.	STATIONS.	COING NORTH. READ DOWN.	No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Sat. and Mon.	Miles from Victoria.
	Ar. 12.20 P M	5.50 P M		VICTORIA		Dp. 8.00 A M	12.00 P M	
	12.30	5.44	1	RUSKIN		8.14	12.14	1
	12.10	5.19	3	ESQUIMALT		8.25	12.25	3
	11.45 A M	4.54	6	GOLDSTREAM		8.50	12.50	6
	10.50	4.04	11	SHAWNIGAN LAKE		9.34	1.34	11
	10.01	3.21	16	COBBLE HILL		10.15	2.15	16
	10.11	3.11	18	MALAHAT		10.25	2.25	18
	10.12	3.10	19	DUNCAN'S		10.27	2.27	19
	10.27	2.55	23	KOKSILAH		10.42	2.42	23
	9.30	2.14	29	SOMENOS		11.05	3.05	29
	Dp. 8.34	Ar. 1.50	33	CHEMAINUS		Ar. 11.14	Dp. 3.14	33
	Ar. 8.05	Dp. 1.00		NANAIMO		Dp. 11.30	Ar. 3.30	
	Dp. 8.10			WELLINGTON				

ON SATURDAYS, SUNDAYS AND MONDAYS

Return Tickets will be issued between all points for a single fare, good for return not later than Monday evening.

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No Return Tickets issued for a single fare, where such fare is twenty-five cents.

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Tacoma-Victoria Route.

Leave Tacoma	10:00 a.m.
Leave Seattle	10:00 a.m.
Leave Port Townsend	1:00 p.m.
Arrive Victoria	4:00 p.m.
Leave Victoria	10:00 a.m.
Leave Port Townsend	10:00 a.m.
Leave Seattle	2:00 p.m.
Arrive Tacoma	4:30 p.m.

Port Townsend-Port Angeles Route.
Lv. Port Townsend 2 p.m. | Lv. Port Angeles 8 a.m.
Arrive Pt. Angeles 6 p.m. | Ar. Pt. Townsend 9 .

Tacoma-Seattle Route.
Leave Tacoma—12:00 m.; 11:00 p.m.; *7:45 p.m.
Leave Seattle—*4:30 a.m.; †2:00 p.m.; *4:30 p.m.
Boats leaving Tacoma 12:30 p.m., and Seattle at 4:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. land at Des Moines.

Seattle-Olympia Route.
Leave Seattle...*4:30 p.m. | Leave Olympia, *7:00 a.m.
Leave Tacoma.. 5:30 p.m. | Lv. Steilacoom.. 9:00 a.m.
Lv. Steilacoom.. 9:00 p.m. | Leave Tacoma.. 12:00 m.
Ar. Olympia...11:00 p.m. | Arrive Seattle..12:30 p.m.
—†Daily except Sunday. ‡Sunday only. *Daily.

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Stopping at all way landings.
Steamer leaves Seattle daily, except Saturday, for Whatcom at 11 p.m. Arrives at Whatcom daily, except Sunday, at 8 p.m.
Leaves Whatcom for Seattle daily, except Saturday 8 p.m. Arrives at Seattle daily except Sunday, 7 p.m.
Steamers from Semiahmoo and Blaine leave Whatcom every Saturday at 5 p.m. Returning, leave Blaine every Sunday at 10 a.m. for Whatcom and Seattle.

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The Daily Times.

CITY AND PROVINCIAL.

A BULLET FOR HIS TROUBLE.

A Bartender Accidentally Puts a Bullet in His Arm.

The police had a pretty lively time last night and this morning keeping peace in the city. A party of toughs, both men and women, who came from Westminster for the races, got the idea into their heads that they were going to run the town. For the purpose of carrying out this idea they proceeded to pick a fight with several Victorians, who were also out too late. The appearance of the police, however, put a stop to the fight for the time being, but one of the Mainlanders did not have his ambition subdued so easily as that, and he procured a revolver with the intention of blowing some one to pieces. The police kept their eyes open, and were on the spot just in time to stop any damage being done. The bloodthirsty individual was then sent off and deposited the revolver with the night bartender at the Russ House, who proceeded to show the toughs how to use firearms. He was kindly explaining matters to them, very foolishly, with the muzzle towards him, when the trigger slipped and one of the balls went whizzing through his wrist and into the looking-glass behind the bar. The wound, although an ugly one, is not serious.

THE LILY WAS LAST.

The Sealing Fleet is Now all in----A Rough Experience.

The schooner Lily, Capt. McDonald, which has been reported lost and missing, and whose owners had about given her up, arrived in this morning with a catch of 700 seals for the season, the last vessel of the fleet being now in.

The trip of the Lily has been a very eventful one throughout. About the end of May she left the coast for the Behring Sea. Rough weather was the rule, and on the 28th of June the head gear was carried away in a gale, and the vessel was run into Kodiak Island harbor to fit things up. A delay was caused here, three Indian hunters being taken very sick, and one of them dying. The dead man was buried on Kodiak Island.

After leaving the Island nothing but foul weather and fog was encountered. The prevailing winds during September were southerly. On the 26th of that month a heavy sea broke over the vessel and swept the decks, smashing eight canoes, and starting the hatches leaking. On the 27th the schooner Triumph, bound north, was spoken. She, too, had trouble on the 26th, a sea breaking aboard and smashing up three of her sealing boats and washing one overboard. Two were patched up, however, and she has now five boats to use in sealing.

Capt. McDonald cannot imagine where the report originated of the Lily's loss. He has spoken several vessels during the season, but not latterly. On the 5th, after a very stormy trip down the coast, she reached Euculet, and from there sailed into Victoria. The late gale was weathered in Euculet harbor.

W. C. T. U.

Election of Officers for Ensuing Year Yesterday Afternoon.

After the usual opening at the W.C.T.U. convention yesterday afternoon, the following officers were elected:

President—Mrs. M. A. Cunningham.
Cor. Secretary—Mrs. C. Robson.
Recording Secretary—Miss B. S. McDougal.
Treasurer—Mrs. D. McGillivray.

SUPERINTENDENTS OF DEPARTMENTS.

Scientific Instruction in Schools—Mrs. H. G. Hall, Victoria.
Literature and Woman's Journal—Mrs. W. H. Spoffard.
Work among Sailors, Lumbermen and Miners—Mrs. G. W. Grant, New Westminster.
Work among Railroad Employees—Mrs. Bannerman, Kamloops.
Unfermented Wine at the Lord's Table—Mrs. Johnston, Vancouver.
Legislation, Petitions and Franchise—Mrs. Gordon Grant, Victoria.
Heredity and Hygiene—Mrs. McInnis, Victoria.
Evangelistic Work—Mrs. J. W. Moore, Victoria.
Hospital Work—Mrs. D. McNaughton, Victoria.
Prison Work—Mrs. D. Robson, New Westminster.
Young Women's Work—Miss Empey, North Arm.
Indian Work—Mrs. (Rev.) C. Tait.
White Cross and White Shield—Mrs. D. Spencer, Victoria.
Juvenile Work and Kindergarten Work—Mrs. (Rev.) C. Watson, Victoria.
Parlor Meetings—Mrs. P. Wilson, Victoria.
Flower Mission—Miss Humber, Victoria.
Narcotics—Mrs. C. L. Street, Chilliwhack.
Organizers—Mainland, Miss Bowes; Island, Mrs. Spoffard.
Fair Work—Mrs. J. W. Young, Vancouver.
Finance—Mrs. M. Humber.
Press Work—Mrs. Sexsmith, North Arm.

The convention adjourned to meet in Vancouver next year.

Imperial Federation.

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Grapes.

Mr. R. T. Williams has a sample of very fine looking grapes which were grown by H. F. Senton, of James Island.

Wellington Coal.

The Old Temple coal yard, now in office 42 Yates street, is now prepared to supply the market with the best New Wellington Coal.

HEATHORN & MCINTOSH.

The Ariel Arrived.

The sealing schooner Ariel, Captain Riley, arrived in last evening from Behring Sea, with a catch of 1769 skins for the season, 1136 of which were taken in the sea. The reports rough weather and a bad season for sealing. The fleet is now all in.

A Concert Event.

The Mendelssohn Quintette, the members of which gave so much pleasure to Victorians on the occasion of their last concert here, are booked at the Victoria for November 6th and 7th, when a programme of some merit is promised. Mr. Frederick Adderley of this city will take part.

Ball at Victoria West.

A few days ago the TIMES announced that several young men of Victoria West had erected a new hall in that district in which to hold social events. The young people have not been long to take the matter in hand and they already announce a ball to take place on Monday evening 20th inst.

The Warspite.

H. M. S. Warspite, the flagship of Admiral Hotham, arrived from a short cruise in the gulf on Friday afternoon. When off Comox, engaged in practicing, the inner tube of one of the 22-ton guns was cracked spirally, near the breach. The tube can be replaced. An anchor was lost for a time but was recovered.

The Last Sad Rites.

The funeral of the late Francis Catherine, the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Murray, of North Park street, took place this morning. The cortège left the residence at 8:30 for St. Andrews pro-Cathedral, where solemn Requiem Mass was celebrated. The sacred edifice was filled with the many friends of the deceased and the floral offerings were a sign of the high esteem in which she was held.

Experimental Farming.

People at the races yesterday noticed a large patch of oat straw stubble extending over about five acres. It is the remains of the club's experiment at farming, and the venture proved eminently successful. The price realized from the straw alone has paid expenses, while the crop of oats has been clear profit. No doubt next year the club will launch out to a greater extent on the strength of this success.

A Seattle Sensation.

A veritable ghost, who is accompanied without the regulation attributes of silent footfalls, white raiment and a trick of vanishing instantly, is at present worrying the Seattle Transfer Company's men, who have occasion to visit the stables in the night. Tis particular ghost haunts a lonesome place where the street goes along the water front, and where, it is said, several people have been thrown off after being robbed and stunned.

Church Services.

Baptist church, Herald street, Rev. E. L. Rugg, pastor.—Usual preaching services Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday school at close of morning services. In the evening the pastor will begin a series of sermons on "Christian Evidences." Subject of sermon: "The Need of a Written Revelation."

Reformed Episcopal church—A lecture on "Spiritual Idolatry" will be delivered on Sunday evening, Oct. 12.

Leaves This Station.

H.M.S. Amphion, which has been on this station for the past year, will leave for Honolulu next week. From Honolulu she will go on to Hongkong, and from there to the Mediterranean, where she will finish her commission. Since the Amphion's stay here Captain Hulton and the officers have made many friends. It is to be hoped that the ship's future career will be pleasant, and that favoring winds will help her homeward.

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A number of Victorians will remember Harry Loseby, the genial and clever bandmaster of H. M. S. Swiftsure during her stay on this station, and they will be pleased to learn that that he has decided to leave the navy and take up his home in Victoria. He has written to Mr. C. A. Lombard, stating that he will leave England for this city in a couple of weeks, and intends forming an amateur orchestra here. The letter also says that Mr. E. Agius, bandmaster of H.M.S. Triumph has returned to the navy.

The Queen Pays All Expenses.

The Queen's last "Free Trip to Europe" having excited such universal interest, the publishers of that popular magazine offer another and $200 extra for expenses, to the person sending the largest list of English words constructed from letters contained in the words "British North America." Additional prizes, consisting of Silver Tea Sets, China Dinner Sets, Gold Watches, French Music Boxes, Portiere Curtains, Silk Dresses, Mantel Clocks, and many other useful and valuable articles will also be awarded in order of merit. A special prize of a Seal Skin Jacket to the lady, and a handsome Shetland Pony to the girl or boy (delivered free in Canada or United States), sending largest lists. Everyone sending a list of not less than twenty words will receive a present. Send four 3c. stamps for complete rules, illustrated catalogue of prizes, and sample number of the Queen.

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THE RUSH RETURNS.

The Little Cutter Arrives Safely at Port Townsend.

A dispatch from Port Townsend dated the 9th inst., says: The revenue cutter Rush, Capt. W. C. Caulson, arrived here this morning, after a three months' [illegible] ring sea. The Rush left here July 4th and proceeded direct to Onga Islands. Arriving there, the sailing fleet was found anchored at Sand Point, near Onga. The Rush went from there to Ounalaska, and thence to Behring Sea. She cruised around but saw very few vessels. Two American schooners, the Nellie Martin of Juneau, and the Annie from Portland, were seen close to the Seal islands. These vessels were boarded but no skins found on board. The captains were warned away from the islands, and only three other vessels were seen during the cruise in the sea. The Rush left Ounalaska Sept. 25th. Steamer Bear had just arrived there. The captain of the Rush says he experienced very rough weather.

NOT MUCH BUSINESS.

A Quiet But Interesting Day at Police Headquarters.

Geo. Bedford, alias Dan Apples, who ever since he has resided in this favored city has been a very frequent guest of the city jailor, was again locked up last evening and booked for being drunk and disorderly. Dan only a few days ago completed 20 days in the city prison, but that does not admit of his creating another disturbance, and he will again have to go to the lock-up for 30 days and keep things in order around that favorite resort for big heads and shalpers.

Another big dealer in whiskey followed Dan. He was a Chinaman who instead of using the article himself has a charitable disposition towards the natives, whom he kindly supplies in either small or large quantities. This time he was hardly quick enough, for officer McDonald spotted and followed him through a narrow alley, where an Indian was waiting for him. John was just handing the bottle over when the officer grabbed it and the heathen, both of which he took to the station. In court John swore that he gave the the whiskey to the Indian before the officer arrived, but that was disproved, and John was fined $50 and $2 costs, which sum he paid.

Several cases of Johnson street sewerage and fast driving over the bridges completed the list, and the court adjourned, that is except those interested in the Chinese perjury case.

A Smash Up.

The tug Wanderer while towing the bark Seminole from the New Wellington wharf on Friday, during the high wind that was blowing, met with somewhat of a mishap. It appears she had a very long hawser attached to the vessel and went ahead at full speed to get steering way on, but owing to the strong wind prevailing the vessel would not slew, and before she could be stopped she went crashing into Chandler's wharf, smashing a portion of it badly. The bark Sumatra was lying alongside the wharf, when the captain saw the Seminole coming towards him, so he gave orders to cast off the ropes and let his vessel drop astern just in time to clear the way for the Seminole. Had the latter vessel struck the Sumatra she have sunk her. The extent of the damage will not exceed $100. The Seminole was not damaged and proceeded to sea.

Mixed Horses.

A gentleman of this city went out to Saanich the other evening to attend the ball given at the close of the agricultural fair. His means of transit was a horse and buggy taken from a city stable. After the ball was over the gentleman and a friend got the rig and started for Victoria. Upon arriving at the stable, the man in charge asked where the horse was. "This is it," was replied. "Oh, no. You took away a horse, and have brought back a mare. Beside, the buggy isn't the same." And it was so, for either, by reason of the exhilirating effects of the ball, or the strangeness of the climate about Saanich, or by some other reason unknown, the wrong rig had been taken. Later on a gentleman came to the stable with the missing outfit, stating that he waited until all had left, when he found instead of his own rig, the one taken by the hero of this item. Mutual explanations followed, and all was well.

A Reform Effected.

A few weeks ago, the TIMES drew attention to the time occupied by several trans-Atlantic mail lines in conveying the mails from Liverpool to Canada, and pointed out that the Canadian Gazette and several other English weeklies which are published for transmission by the Allan line on Thursday did not arrive in Victoria for several days after papers of a later date which were subsequently forwarded by New York. It has frequently happened that the issues of an English daily of say the 4th or 5th, would be received before those of the 1st, 2nd or 3rd, and the attention of the publishers was called to this anomalous condition of the mail service. For the first time the Canadian Gazette arrived this week fifteen days from London, and a letter from Mr. Skinner, the editor, explains that the article in the TIMES caused him to send the Gazette via New York. In future the Gazette will come in the shortest possible time, and its subscribers will receive it fully five days sooner than formerly.

Truth, Punch, The World and other papers published the same day as the Canadian Gazette have not come, nor will they be here for several days.

Stanley House, W. S. Hampson, manager. Bargains in Ribbons and fancy goods.

An immense assortment of Kensington Art Squares, all sizes, just received by John Weller, 51 to 55 Fort street.

Oysters delivered to all parts of the city. Telephone No. 161, New England Bakery Young Bros., No. 114 and 118 Government street.

Thermometer at Cochrane & Munn's.

Temperature to-day, 52 deg.

Do you Eat?

For dinner to-day, or ice cream remember Speitz's, 48 Yates street.

Keep Clean.

For a first-class shave or hair-cut go to Grange's, 98 Douglas street.

Ladies and Gentlemen.

Buy your cork soled boots at Erskine's, 132 Government street, corner Johnson.

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Finnin Haddies.

The first Finnin Haddies of the season have just arrived from the Atlantic coast. At P. H. Jameson's, 33 Fort street. oct11-tf.

Arrived O. K.

A beautiful line of Razors, Strops and Shaving Materials can be seen at Fox's 78 Government street. Call and see the fine assortment of Pocket Knives and Scissors.

Custom Pants.

Made from good tweed or corduroy, $2, $3 and $4 per pair; ready made pants from $2 to $5. Russell, McDonald & Co., opposite the iron church, Douglas street. tf

Ladies and Gentlemen.

Do not throw away your rubber boots, shoes, coats or gossamers, because they are torn or have a few holes worn in them. Remember they can be made as good as new by Geo. A. Shade, shoemaker, 23 Broad street, opposite Trounce Avenue. oct1-1m

North Pacific Industrial Exposition.

The N.P.R.R., in connection with the steamer City of Kingston, is now making a special round-trip rate of $12.50—Victoria to Portland and return—for the exposition. Tickets on sale at 82 Government street, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, good seven days from date of sale.

Homes for All.

The Dominion Building & Loan Association of Toronto, doing business in this city, has met with gratifying success. The main feature of the Association is that any member having paid three months assessment may borrow to the amount of shares subscribed for. Office 64 Yates street.

Across the Road.

The heavy wind of Monday and Tuesday played havoc among the big trees along the Saanich road, and in several places the trunks of giants of the forest were laid across the road, much to the inconvenience of travelers. The trunks had to be cut by the teamsters, and they are consequently questioning whether the government should not pay them for their time.

Another Stride Forward.

It is rumored that the National Electric Tramway Co. have decided to engage in commercial and house lighting by electricity, at rates so low as to bring the light within the reach of every class. It is said that a contract has been made with the Thomson-Houston Company, and that the plant is already on the way from Boston, and will be installed before Christmas.

To Be Docked.

The steamer City of Kingston will go into the Esquimalt dock this morning and remain there for three days, during which time the Premier will take her place. The latter boat will come over from Vancouver for that purpose. The Kingston has now been in the water for over a year, running regularly every day, and will, no doubt, make better time after an overhauling.

For San Francisco.

The steamer Umatilla sailed for San Francisco this morning with the following passengers from this port: J. Law and wife, J. Owen, T. P. Hollcraft, C. L. Warrick, O. A. Dier, E. McCoy, N. McColl, W. S. Hamilton, Mrs. L. Jones, Mrs. Nicholson, Mrs. Lewis, Miss Lewis, Miss E. Lewis, T. W. Lewis, A. Lewis, H. D. Parsons, J. Arce, and S. Fibola.

Bad for Dogs.

People who own dogs that are of any value, should be careful how they take their four-footed friends along the ocean beach near the outer wharf, as poisoned meat has been freely distributed there. Last evening Mrs. Capt. Babbington was out walking and a valuable dog which was with her ate some of the poison, and in a few minutes was dead. The animal was a very well bred and valuable one, and Mrs. Babbington feels very bad over its loss. The parties who placed the poison on the beach is known, but it is hardly probable that they are aware of the fact that it is an actionable thing to spread deadly drugs on public property. Several other dogs have been poisoned by the same means, and a stop should be put to the dangerous practice.

An Entertaining Lecture.

The last time that Prof. Muller gave his stereopticon lecture, "Across the World in 90 Minutes," the views were spoilt by a hole having been cut in one of the rubber reservoirs where the oxygen and hydrogen gases are stored to produce the light. In consequence of this the exhibition was a disappointment to the audience and the lecturer. The professor has, however, procured new reservoirs, and next Saturday evening will at the Philharmonic hall give a perfect performance. The lecture is very interesting, and the views are beautiful and instructive. The effects are charming, and it will be an entertainment well worth enjoying. The views are said to be better than the ordinary kind given at stereopticon lectures.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

NANAIMO ENTERPRISE.

A Boiler and Machine Works to be Started at the Black Diamond City.

Mr. G. Munro, vice-president of the Hamilton Manufacturing Company of Peterborough, Ontario, is in the city, say the Free Press, for the purpose of locating a suitable site for the erection of a foundry and machine shop. [illegible] in this city, Mr. Munro stated to a Free Press reporter that the business of this company has so largely increased during the past twelve months in this part of the Province that it would be more to their advantage to erect a branch of the works here, especially as the coal is handy and reasonable, and will therefore save them a large amount of money which at present is paid away in transportation. The Hamilton Manufacturing Company principally deals in machinery, and their works are said to be the largest of their class in Canada. Nearly all the machinery employed at the Nanaimo Saw Mills, New V. C. Company is from this factory, and all the other industrial works in the Province have some of their machinery manufactured by this firm. Mr. Munro will be shown throughout the city by Mr. G. A. McBain for the purpose of selecting the most suitable site.

Seasonable Notice.

Cochrane & Munn's drug store will be open to-morrow during the following hours: 9 to 10:30 a.m., 2 to 5 p.m., 8 to 10 p.m.

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Bound for the Orient.

The C. P. R. steamer Batavia, in charge of Pilot Bebbington, passed out last evening at 9:45 o'clock for the Orient from Vancouver. She is full of freight up to the hatches, and has a large passenger list.

Wanton Destruction.

Some person is making a practice of breaking and destroying the ornamental trees lately planted in the park. If once caught, it would be well to make an example of him. Any person wilfully destroying any of the trees in the park ought to be severely dealt with.

May Get up a Race.

Rowe, the all round athlete and runner, wants to get up a race with Watson, Victoria's champion. Watson is willing and there is a chance of a race being arranged. It is said that Rowe is a swift man for a half mile, and as Watson is also a flyer, the race would be a close and interesting one.

Harvest Festival.

The ladies of St. James church have been busy this week preparing their church for the harvest festival to be held to-morrow. The pretty little edifice has been tastefully decorated, and at both morning and evening services there will be special music by the choir. The sermon will be preached in the morning by Archdeacon Scriven, and in the evening by Rev. E. G. Miller.

Fence to be Built.

The vacant space between the city hall proper and the police station yard fence, is to be fenced off from the public street. This is well, for in the past it has been favorable for outsiders to have communication with prisoners in the female ward, an instance of the kind having been mentioned in the TIMES some days ago. When the fence is built, the cell windows will not, as they do now, look out upon the street.

Stanley House, General Dry Goods Sale of Bankrupt Stock, great slaughter.

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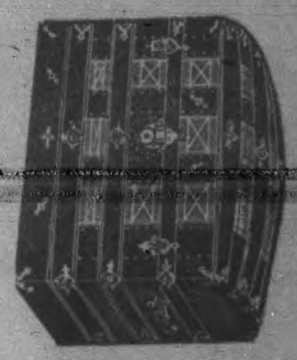

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